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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		Attorney Docket No. 3003-1171 U.S. Application No. 10/567554
INTERNATIONAL APPLN. NO. PCT/GB2004/003676	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE August 27, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED August 29, 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION: IMPROVEMENTS RELATING TO LANCETS		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Jeremy MARSHALL and Mark EATON		
<p>Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.<input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))<ol style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. See attached PCT/IB/308.<input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))<ol style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.<input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).<input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))<ol style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).<input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.<input type="checkbox"/> have not been made, however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.<input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).<input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4))<input type="checkbox"/> A Declaration of Inventorship for purposes of U.S.A. designation pursuant to rule 4.17(iv).)<input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). <p>Items 12 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) w/PTO-1449 - <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of IDS citations. - <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PCT/ISA/210 International Search Report included<input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)).<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Itemized Return Receipt Postcard<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abstract<input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney and Statement under 37 CFR §3.73(b)<ol style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed Power of Attorney<input type="checkbox"/> A change of Power of Attorney and/or change of address letter.<input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.<input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).<input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application (35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)).<input type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: _____		

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